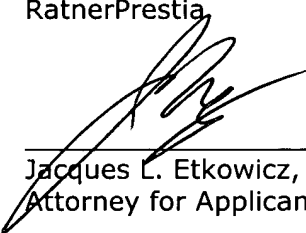


Remarks

Applicant has amended the claims to better conform to US practice. No new matter is added by these amendments. Applicant respectfully requests therefore that the amended claims be entered and examined.

Respectfully submitted,

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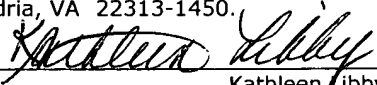
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